GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2576
ANSWERED ON:16.08.2004
ERADI TRIBUNAL
Tirath Smt. Krishna

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Eradi Tribunal set up in 1986, to settle the Punjab-Haryana-Himachal water sharing disputes has not yet submitted any report;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) by when it is likely to be submitted to the Government?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) & (b) The Ravi and Beas Waters Tribunal, also known as the Eradi Tribunal, constituted on 2nd April 1986 to verify the quantum of usage of water by the farmers of Punjab, Haryana and Rajasthan from the Ravi Beas system as on 1st July, 1985 and to adjudicate the claims of Punjab and Haryana regarding the shares in their remaining waters, forwarded a report dated 30th January 1987. References seeking explanation and guidance on certain points of the report were made to the Tribunal in August 1987 and are under consideration of the Tribunal.

(c) The period for forwarding of further report by the Tribunal has been extended upto 5th February, 2005.